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Inventor(s): BRADSHAW, et al.				Examiner:	Sells, J.		
	664,794			Atty. Dkt.	P 271077	DKT 7-CON	
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## **AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 173**

Honorable Commissioner of Patents, Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 2, 2001, please amend the above identified application as follows:

## IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

36. (Amended) An apparatus for processing a master in conjunction with a supply of a first feed material and a supply of a second feed material, at least one of said feed materials carrying a layer of adhesive, said apparatus comprising:

a frame having an outer shell including (a) a lower outer shell portion having downwardly facing surfaces constructed and arranged to placed on a substantially flat support surface for supporting said apparatus and (b) an upper outer shell portion movably connected to said lower shell portion for movement between an open position and a closed position relative to said lower outer shell

